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ald be hard to exceed the surprise the special telegrams to all the German

less scoundrel who can have invented attempt to foment any such discord should be pilloried and treated as a public enemy. Whoever should foment such a strife would be laughed at.

Not only are other Americans entirely satisfied with their German fellow-citizens, but all Americans recognize the inestimable advantage to this country of perfectly harmonious relations between Germany as a country and the United States as a country. It would be a world's between Germany and the United States | department of Gotham has been crowded disturbed, and ninety-nine Americans in during the past week with New York's

Whilst the people of the United States feel in exactly this way towards Ger- thousand persons assessed on as friendly a part by us since the begin- had been taken off the \$7,000,000,000 levied ning of our war with Spain, as we have on personal property up to March 20th. neted towards Germany. There is not the smallest disposition to hold the Ger- York World says with many grains of man people responsible for this.

peror and the Emperor aione is respon- but in Virginia and other States of the sible for it. He is believed here to be Union, is a farce and a mockery, and strongly infected with medieval and operates in favor of the rich man and to feudal ideas and to desire in his secret the oppression of the poor man, who heart a suppression of Democratic devel- has no means of hiding his stuff away. opment, and the unfriendly acts which It is this sort of tax-dodging on the part have been charged to the account of Ger- of the rich that has in a great measure man officials are believed in America to created the prejudice against wealth, and have emanated directly from the Emperor, and we have had really unfriendly for the demand for a graduated income acts to complain of. There is no longer tax. You cannot deceive all the people room for doubt that the German admiral all the time, and the poor people of the at Manila seriously embarrassed Admiral United States know that they are made, Dewey for a long time and Admiral through the tariff system and through Kautz's telegraphic announcement from the personal tax system, to bear more Samoa that "the German Consul General than their just proportion of the public had issued an incensiary proclamation burden, while the rich are permitted to saying that my." (Kautz's) "proclamation escape.

Was untrue and he should uphold the A reform is demanded, and some sort provisional government," is simply as- of reform will come, sooner or later. The tounding.

Nevertheless, the American people are fielighted to learn that the German government has entered into negotiations with our government in a spirit of friendlineas and frankness that makes a pacific solution of the trouble almost certain. We are prepared to forget and forgive any and everything so that the Emperor will not put us into a position that makes it necessary for us to quarrel with Ger-

A GOOD COMBINE. Friday, March 31st, was the first anniversary of the issuance of New Daily Pilot and the Norfolk Virginian as the Virginian-Pilot, and it is with pride, as well as gratitude to the people whose patronage made the results attained posde, that we announce that the consoli-

dation has been a gratifying success.-Norfolk Virginian-Pilot. This is interesting. Before the date mentioned by our contemporary there were three morning papers in Norfolk | peor man, in order to make political capt-

and competition was so sharp that neither the Virginian nor the Pilot found business profitable. It was the most natural thing in the world, therefore, for the president of the Virginian Company and the president of the Pilot Company to consolidate their newspapers under one management. And this was done in spits of the fact that the Pilot was violently opposed in its editorial conduct to trusts and combines.

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Times Telephones—Eusiness Office, New Thone, St. Old Phone, St. Editorial Phone, St. In the third place were also that the merchants of Norfolk would get for one price than either the virginian or the Pilot was before the consolidation took place. We prophesied also that the merchants of Norfolk would get for one price advertising results better than they had received by paying two prices to the Virginian and Pilot under separate management. We prophesied in the third place, that the two papers conducted under one management would thereby convert losses into profits and the time that this combination was effected, we prophesied that the would be to the benefit of all in interest. We prophesied that the people of Norfolk would get in the Virginian-Pilot a better consolidation took place. We prophesied that the people of Norfolk would get in the Virginian or the Pilot was before the consolidation took place. We prophesied that the people of Norfolk would get in the Virginian-Pilot a better consolidation took place. We prophesied that the people of Norfolk would get in the Virginian-Pilot a better consolidation took place. We prophesied that the people of Norfolk would get in the Virginian-Pilot a better consolidation took place. We prophesied that the people of Norfolk would get in the Virginian-Pilot a better c At the time that this combination was MANCHESTER BUREAU, 1121 HULL that the venture would be successful, According to the statement above from the Virginian-Pilot all these predictions have been fulfilled and our contemporary has demonstrated the fact that in some cases, at least, combines are altogether desirable.

Our lady readers, and we hope others, will be interested to know that on Saturday last-the day before Easter-an act birds' feathers for dress or ornamematation went into effect. The act provides THON OF ALL PERSONS SENDING
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Germany is daily preached, and "may responsible for the big hoop-skirts or the lead to deplorable results, if the Ameri- long trails which were formerly in vogue can government does not check it in In point of fact, women resented these

bility for this shaughter of birds. We think it hardly fair to hold responsible of the Legislature are but human, and the most perfectly harmonious family. demand reason with themselves that if ple. But the fashion holds on with wonderful persistency, and it would appear that in a prohibitory law.

#### TAX-DODGERS. The New York World says that the tax

we dility citizens, swearing off personal taxes. That up to Saturday ten mans and Germany, there is neverthe- sonal property had appeared and less a feeling amongst Americans that taken the oath that they owned no perthe German administration has not acted sonal property, and that ever \$2,600,000,000 allowance, but it is a fact that the per-The idea here is that the German Em- sonal tax system, not only in New York,

> people have not yet determined upon the remedy, and we confess that we are not quite clear on this point, but we believe that an income tax would come nearer than anything else to a solution of the problem. Some of our readers may be surprised at this remark, knowing how The Times has fought the income tax proposed by the Chicago convention. But what The Times has fought was not a fair and just and equitable income tax, posed by the Chicago Democracy and the Populists. Let any party propose an equitable tax on the lucome of every man, whether he receives a hundred dollars a year or a hundred thousand a year, and The Times will give that measure its earnest support. But the politicians will never, we are afraid, propose any such measure. They have proposed this graduated income tax that will bear

> upon the rich man, while relieving the

tal, but all such propositions tend to make a discord and to cause a clash between the rich and the poor. If the poor man finds that the tax levy is made to discriminate against him in favor of the rich, his resentment is necessarily aroused, and he is ready for a fight. On the contrary, if the rich man finds that the tax levy is made to discriminate against him, in favor of the poor man, he is on his mettle, and is going to resist

to the exertme limit. In order that there might be no such discrimination and no such clashes, it was provided by our forefathers that taxation should be equal and uniform, and if that principle were applied in all schemes of taxation, the poor man's burden would be lessened and no one would have cause to complain.

We believe that it would be greatly to the advantage of the poor man and would result in lessening his taxation, if we had in this country a uniform tax on incomes. But a discriminating tax will never be enforced. We have a discriminating income tax law in Virginia, but everybody knows that it is practically a dead letter, because under the exemption provision it is easy for anybody to dodge

FINLANDERS AROUSED. The Finnish-American Central Committee of New York which, as has already been stated in these columns, was reout the United States to organize opposition on this side of the Atlantic to the recent decree of the Cyar by which the just issued an address calling upon their fellow countrymen in America "to rise up as one man and uphold their sacred Me rights before the world." The committee Judge. leclares that it is the purpose of the nadian press to uphold the people of to aid in the organization of mass-meet

so far as they may with propriety do so. the Finlanders will have their aid and moral support.

A TIMELY REBUKE. Our Richmond correspondent gives it also for circuit judge, to succeed General liundley. We hope that this is not true. traits were most inconvenient, but sub-mission was importative, for no woman of delicacy likes to make herself-conspicuous in public. She conforms to the fashion not necessarily through choice, nor yet for pride's sake, but because she does to public aske, but because she does to public aske, but because she does to correct the abuse by rendering incligible correct the abuse by rendering incligible on Councils to any office within the fra of those bodies. The reason for ch a rule is too obvious to be discussed.

those who shoot the birds, for so long it is natural that they should give preferas there is a demand for such ornaments ence to one of their number in any conman element and the other elements of the supply will be forthcoming, and those test of this character, regardless of the man element and the other elements of who make a business of supplying the question of merit, or the will of the peoch

We chance to know of this case. We had hoped that this was a vacancy on the bench which the fashion would run its course and that Governor of the State was called upon to Dame Pashion would turn her eyes to fill. There were two applicants, one of ome other source for ornamentation. whom was a member of the Legislature, and he received the endorsement of nearly every member of that body. But when order to prevent the extermination of the the case was made up, it turned out that birds it is necessary that there shall be the other applicant had the endorsement of all the local officials, nearly all the members of the bar, and a large proportion of the leading citizens of the cam-

The members of the Legislature did not inquire as to the merit of the other candidate, did not inquire as to the wishes of the people. They all recommended their man, because he was a brother member. In this particular case their man was a good lawyer, a splendid man, and would have made a good judge, but we fear that the result would have been the same, had the case been otherwise. It is too often a matter of personal favoritism, and it may be a matter of corrupt log-rolling and trading.

Now that Lent is over Texas has opened up without another six-shooter enter-

Rudyard Kipling was thoughtful enough not to embody any of the poems he re- Cou ceived in his letter of gratitude.

The burial of 150 "unknown" soldlers does not prove the efficiency of the system of tagging that was adopted last

"What's the score?" has arrived on until next October.

Bryan says that the two \$1 dinners must be held on different dates, but this looks | 1 like a cruef thrust at Mr. Sulzer. Senator Jones quotes a little Scripture,

but nobody thought Jones was sick

enough for that. The Money Devil doesn't seem to be the only one at work when a farmer comes to town with \$600 and is robbed and spir-

ited away. The Easter excursion to Washington ought to show a good crop of brides and

Coin Harvey possibly would not have resigned had he ignored the cigar system and tried the mite-box manner of collect-

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does not vote this elects Gorman unani-

Hon. J. Wesley Gaines serves well as a human megaphone for political mes-

Platt is going to investigate Croker's crowd. Plait believes that running with the crowd and shouting "stop thief" is a good way to escape.

Nobody has shot Mr. Sulzer on account of his likeness to Henry Clay.

The Pope writes pontifical messages with a pen made from the feather of a white dove. Colonel Watterson perhaps uses a gold pen with a silver filagree

Family Pride. First Chicken-Me father came from

Second Chicken-Huht that's nothing. Shanghai.

### A Rebuff.

"You watch ma the next time I come home late for dinner and try to say some-thing that will tickle her. Then you'll see what a rebuff is."—Chicago Record. ---

Not Unprovoked. "Then he made an unprovoked assault

on you?"
"Oh, no! He was more than provoked.
He was mad as a horner."—Indianapolis Journal.

We should reflect that if wicked people were to quit using tobacco and liquor good people might have to pay a larger tax on their bank checks.—Detroit Jour-

Reckless Expenditure.

Dilver-When I took this place it wasn't fit for a dog to live in. I have spent near-ly \$1,000 on it. Samson-Don't you think it would have been cheaper had you killed the dog?— Boston Transcript.

#### A Mean Trip

Lewis-Beattie is the meanest man on earth. I bet him a new hat one day last week, lost the bet, and to-day I received

Where She Got Her Nerve "How calm and self-possessed that Ira Hooplah is."

Yes, she comes by it naturally. Before her husband struck it rich in copper they traveled with a one-ring circus, and she used to stand against a board while he threw knives around her. Therefore

#### Superstitions.

The following queer political announcement appears in a Georgia newspaper:

"I announce myself as a candidate to succeed myself, baving held the office thirteen years, and not desiring to leave it on the thirteenth year, which would be unucky. If elected I promise to resign promptly when I shall have been in office fourteen years even."—Atlanta Consistation.

Here is the "philosophy" of perpetual motion as solved by an up-to-date philos-

Rags makes paper. Paper makes mone Money makes banks Banks make loans

Poverty makes rags. Rags make-well, just keep on repeating the above.—Boston Journal.

She and April, My love is like an April day, One moment she is free To smile, the next i shrink away From frowns designed for me.

O Bekle April days that bring Sweet promise unto men; They bright with the joys of spring, And then grow dark again,

My love looks up with willing eyes, Mydlips to hers are near; stoop to enter Paradise-And she whacks me on the ear.
--Chicago News.

Recollection. Dost think I do not care, dear heart, Because my now are dumb? Doest think I did not hear, dear heart, Because I cannot come?

once the darkness had no face, Nor silence song for me; but through the gloom, now, ev'ry place, Your voice thrills ceaselessly!

I see your thoughts in ev'ry flower, I feel them in the breeze: oul I forget, with such a dower

Your touch and tones are part

Too my awakened heart!

"What's the score?" has arrived on Dost think my lips are dumb time and will do business at the old stand Because no tender words are found will not a October.

Dost think my lips are dumb
To tell life's golden sum?

Ah, like a beggar at a feast, I gather one sweet crumb: may not answer-but, at least, You know I long to come! Katherine P. Huston, in Louisville -Katherine Courier-Journal.

## SOUTHERN NOTES.

Selections Here and There from the

Newspapers of Dixie, TO HONOR SOUTHERN POETS. The South appears to be taking unusual interest just now in the question of perpetuating the memory of her poets. Besides the proposition to erect a monument to Paul H. Hayne in Augusta, which we referred to a few days ago, it it is proposed to raise funds for monuments to both Henry Timrod, of South Carolina, and Irwin Russell, of Misalssippl. sippl.

Ing.

Jerry Simpson is to be an editor now and his troubles begin. The Lamentations of Jeremiah 3-17: "And thou hast removed my soul far off from peace: I forgat prosperity."

Mrs. Lease urges Hon. Arthur Pue Gorman for the Presidency. As Mrs. Lease man for the Presidency of the Presidency of the Jeremiah of the down.

THE SLAVERY QUESTION.

The Picayune should hold in mind the fact that the institution of slavery, with all its concomitant issues, was settled more than thirty years ago. Many men still entertain, as we do, very pronounced views on the merits or demerits of that institution. Some of us think that it constitution. Some of us think that it constitutions, and that when it was abolished the finger of fate fixed in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Clicers, Salt Rheum.

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If you are going to Europe this spring get the State Bank of Virginia to furnish you with a Travellers' Letter of Credit. THE SLAVERY QUESTION.

fall of our republican institutions. Others still regard that event as directed by the will of divine justice and humanity. But, be that as it may, the position that men held on that once great and burning question ought not to be evoked at this late day to discredit their utterances for the right and their demands for justice and humanity—New Orleans States.

humanity.-New Orleans States. ROOM FOR ALL.

Commander Reed, of the Walker-Gaston Camp, U. C. V., at Chester, S. C., writes that all the camps have elected sponsors and maids of honor and that they will all be here at the great reunion next month; that each of the camps will pay the expenses of its special attendants, and that the camps of Veterans and Sons of Veterans shall both be heard in thundering tones at the reunion. The spirit of the commander of the Walker-Gaston Camp is a mirable and it is hoped that all the commander of the Walker-Gaston Camp is a mirable and it is hoped that all the Veterans and Sons will attend the reunion, bringing as many sponsors and maids of honor as they please. There is no objection to that-indeed, we should like every member of every camp come here with at least one sponsor and maid not be lost sight of in the general disposition to pay honor to the good and brave women of the State and the South—Charleston News and Courier.

SOUTHERN TOURISTS.

ST. AUGUSTINE, April 1.—The first

ST. AUGUSTINE. April 1.—The first day of April finds more tourists at the leading resorts along the cast coast of

and have been more than comfortably alled for the past two months, and, is some cases for a much longer period While the tide of travel has set north ward, the season is by no means near its close. Many hotels are even now com-fortably filled. Tourists are learning more each year of the beauty of a late sojours on the east coast. They have discovered that the weather during April and May is perhaps the most delightful of any two months in the year, and those whose duties will permit intend to remain and entered to the second of the s

that his regiment had as the material in it as any command that was ever organized. But when an old Confederate soldier, who saw the battles of the Army of dier, who saw the battles of the Army of Northern Virginia, reads Colonel Roosevelt's article in the March Scribner's, giving an elaborate account of his fight at Las Guasimas. In Cuba, he is inevitably moved to merriment. Colonel Roosevelt has devoted some ten pages of print to a most minute account of every movement.

throughout this tend for many menths, but fulled of free expression lest the venduring the war with Spain. But may he if the Americans had had foemen worthy of their steel American valor would have proved itself the same as of old—Virginia Citizen.

Those who approve Mr. Bryan's course justify it by saying that to retreat one inch from the position of the Chicago platform in order to gain the support of some hundred thousand Democrats opposed to free silver would be a case of the tail wagging the dog, of the majority suprenderior to the majority. The whole ate from the party many voters in the West. To reaffirm it would cause the lows of an immuse vote in the East. here never was a time

we can endorse every part of the Chicago platform with the same unwavering faith and would support it again if necessary. At the same time we have the deepest refew years back, and are now opposed to. There is no doubt that hundreds of housands who voted for Palmer an unkner and McKinley and Hobart as still Democrats in Beart and another the state of the people, Circumstance may yet render it possible to unite these Democrats with the rest of the party They should not be scoursed from the ecause they cannot as yet con-selr views to Mr. Bryan's.-Page

## FIFTY PER CENT. SAVED. You don't have to buy quinine to go with Grove's Quinine Liver Pills; you get it all combined in one. Price to and

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#### SPRING OPENING.

The Nowlan Company's spring open-ing was a great success. Many compli-ments were elicited by the magnificent ments were energed of the magnificent display of sterling silverware, and to those who could not visit their store on yesterday a cordial invitation is ex-tended to inspect these goods.

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#### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The Easter dance of the Junior Cotilion Club given last night at the Jefferson Hotel was one of the most delightful of all the series of germans by that organization. Made up as it is of the younge zation. Made up as it is of the younger set, it represents an aggregate of enthusiasm not equalled in any of the older bodies and understands theroughly the enviable art of enjoying itself. Mr. Edward Benson was the skilled leader, the chaperones being Mrs. Henry Williams, Mrs. Howard Hoge Mrs. John R. Cooke, Mrs. Richard Maury, Mrs. George Ben. Johnston and Mrs. William C. Bentley. Mrs. Richard Maury, Mrs. October 1988. All Manners and Mrs. William C. Bentley. Among the dancers were Miss; Anna Carr, Daisy Chamberlayne, Escelle De Sarssure, Rebecca Bell, Mabel Marcy, Louise; James, Ruth and Elizabeth Robins, Morgan, Marle Moseley, Lazzle Branty or Elizabeth Wodell. — Dunlop. er, Elizabeth Weddell, — Dunlop, Messrs, Peyton Marshall, Carr, Murat Willis, Parker, Bridges, Moseley, Cardoza, De Saussure, Moore, Lancaster, Frank Tower, Edward Quarles, Philip Carlton, many others. Mason, White, Jones and many others,

A meeting of the Board of Managers of the Homeopathic Free Dispensary will be held to-day at the Dispensary, the hour having been changed to 4 o'clock in the afternoon instead of 11:39 A. M.

This afternoon at half past 4 o'clock This afternoon at haif past 4 o'clock Miss Davidson of Hang Chow, China, will give a talk on "China." at the Woman's Club. She will wear the rebes of an official of that country and will display some most interesting curios. Miss Davidson, who is a South Carolinian, has been for some years a missionary of the Presbyterian Church in China, and has accomplished wonderful work there. She accomplyished wonderful work there. She is charming personally. While in Richmond, she will be the guest of Mrs. English, at Union Theological Seminary.

On Thursday evening Mrs. Reginald Gillian will entertain a few friends at cards in honor of Mrs. Wm. Page, of

## FINE BILL AT THE BIJOU.

Two Large Andiences Were Very Well

Pleased Yesterday. Since the Bijou opened its doors to the to match flame, alongside of the best shows of the reason. In a few words the show is all right, and promises to fill the that of the week. Manager Wells was deter-mined that the Easter week bill should be a spendid one, and he has succeeding

tional card La Ciede and Raymond, prominent entertainers. Twice yesterday the capacity of the Blow was taxed the matinee being the

well received, and holped make the cover-tainment as good as it is.

Moa and Goodrick, very funny burlesque roller-skaters, closed the splendid vaude-ville performance in an act full of laugh-ter and applicate.

The regular performance will be given

### the matines and night performance TWO GREAT PLAYS.

Wm. H. Crane to Present Them Here This Week.

Very few actors have had the amoun of stage experience that has fallen to the lot of William H. Crane, who comes to the Academy of Music on Thursday to produce his two greatly praised plays, "A Virginia Courtship" and "The Head of the Family."

There is no style of character that Mr. Trane has not played. He has in his to burlesque and from Shakesperean comedy to farce. And in everything that he has undertaken to do he has gained suc-

His engagement here is going to do much towards showing his great v. tility, for the two plars that he is to sent differ in a great many essent sent differ in a great many ess in the first place, "A Virginia Cou is an old-fishioned comedy in which the manners of a long-time-since past are reproduced, and the other brings one down to the present time. In one play the actor appears as an old aristocrat of fiery temper and full of arrogance. In the other he is seen as a mild, meek little man who is full of that commodity known the milk of the commodity known the commodity known that the commodity known the commodity where the commodity is the commodity where the commodity is the commodity of the commodity where the commodity is the commodity of the commodity where the commodity is the commodity of the commodity of the commodity where the commodity is the commodity of as the mith of human kindness. The comedian has always been looked upon as an actor with a delicate touch and man who can command tears as estly as he can force laughter.

## THE ELECTRIC LINES.

Ordinances Affecting Them to be Con sidered Thursday Night,

In accordance with the request of Messrs. Pollock, Gibson, Peters, Burton and Whittet, Major Otway S. Allen, chairman of the Committee on Streets, has called a meeting of that body for next Thursday night, to consider the two ordinances affecting the electric lines of the city.

Counsel for the two companies will be notified of the proposed meeting, and it is expected that some final action will be taken in the matter.

The People Will Decide.

It seems that one of the long-cherished hopes of the Courier, and a matter that it has fought for all the while, bids fair to be realized. We refer to the matter of secople of Virginia have shown that the propie of virginia have shown that the were in sympathy with this movemen although many of the political leader for one reason or another, have and sti oppose it. This opposition, however, i oppose it. This opposition, however, is fast being fought down, and it is a question of a very short while now before the friends of this measure will triumph over all opposition.—Blackstone Courier.

#### Polls Miller Next Friday.

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